

## PUBLIC RATE HEARING SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 31, 2016

The rate hearing packet for the public rate hearing scheduled for **Monday, October 31, 2016, at 9:00 a.m.**, is now posted on the Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) Rate Analysis Website at <http://legacy-hhsc.hhsc.state.tx.us/rad/rate-packets.shtml> under the proposed effective date of January 1, 2017. The hearing will be held in the Public Hearing Room of the John H. Winters Building at 701 West 51<sup>st</sup> Street, Austin, Texas. The hearing will be for the purpose of receiving public testimony on proposed Medicaid rates for the following:

### **Proposed to be Effective January 1, 2017 and January 1, 2018: Anesthesia Services**

**The notice for the rate hearing** was published in the September 30, 2016, issue of the *Texas Register*. As indicated in the notice and the rate hearing packets, written comments regarding the proposed payment rates may be submitted instead of, or in addition to, oral testimony until **5 p.m.** the day of the hearing. Written comments may be sent by U.S. mail, overnight mail, special delivery mail, hand delivery, fax or e-mail, as follows:

#### U.S. Mail:

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Rate Analysis, Mail Code H-400

P.O. Box 149030

Austin, Texas 78714-9030

#### Overnight mail, special delivery mail or hand delivery:

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Rate Analysis, Mail Code H-400

Brown-Heatly Building

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*Persons with disabilities who wish to attend the hearing and require auxiliary aids or services should contact Rate Analysis at (512) 730-7401 at least 72 hours before the hearing so appropriate arrangements can be made.*